

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

WILLIAM A. STUTZNER,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 07-10075

v.

District Judge Gerald E. Rosen  
Magistrate Judge R. Steven Whalen

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL  
SECURITY ADMINISTRATION,

Defendant.

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**ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO PROCEED  
IN FORMA PAUPERIS**

Before the Court is Plaintiff William A. Stutzner's Application to Proceed In Forma Pauperis [Docket #2]. Having reviewed the Plaintiff's affidavit, the Court is satisfied that he is unable to pay the filing fee otherwise required. Accordingly, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a), Plaintiff's Application [Docket #2] is GRANTED, and he will be permitted to commence and proceed with this suit without prepayment of filing fees.

SO ORDERED.

S/R. Steven Whalen  
R. STEVEN WHALEN  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Dated: January 17, 2007

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the foregoing order was served on the attorneys and/or parties of record by electronic means or U.S. Mail on January 17, 2007.

S/Gina Wilson  
Judicial Assistant

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